(c) the fresh obligations/formalities enjoined on the CGHS beneficiaries and other modalities finalized for availing these facilities?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI A. RAJA): (a) and (b) No fresh scheme has been formulated by the Government allowing CGHS beneficiaries to take treatment in private hospitals.

Recognition of private hospitals under CGHS in various CGHS covered cities were made during the year 1996 and 1997 through O. Ms issued by the Dept. of Health which was duly circulated to all Ministries/Depts. of the Govt. of India. A fresh list of private hospitals recognised under CGHS Delhi was issued recently vide Dept. of Health's O.M. dated 7.9.2001 which has been circulated to all Ministries/Depts. of the Govt. of india. An additional list of hospitals recognised under CGHS Delhi was circulated vide Dept. of Health's O.M. dated 15.3.2002.

No Liaison Officers have been appointed by the private hospitals recognised under CGHS to cater to CGHS beneficiaries who take treatment in these hospitals.

(c) No fresh obligations/formalities have been made to enable CGHS beneficiaries take treatment in the private hospitals recognised under CGHS.

Centralised Accidents and Trauma Centres in Delhi

2236. SHRI AIMADUDDIN AHMED KHAN (DURRU):
DR. KARAN SINGH:

Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether a Centralised Accidents and Trauma (CAT) Scheme was launched in 1980s in Delhi;

(b) if so, the latest network in Delhi, indicating the number and details of the trauma centres operating thereunder, and the infrastructure available therefor;

(c) whether any more centres, including the one at Dr. Ram Manohar Lohia Hospital are to be set-up; and

(d) if so, the details thereof and the progress made, so far, in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI A. RAJA): (a) and (b) Yes, Sir. The Government of NCT of Delhi has informed that a Centralized Accidents and Trauma Service (CATS) was started under the All India Institute of Medical Sciences (AIIMS) in 1984. It was taken over by erstwhile Delhi Administration in 1989 and has been functioning since then.

At present the Centralized Accidents & Trauma Services (CATS) has a network of 35 ambulances operating from various points located all over Delhi with central command and control for effective monitoring and deployment. The Sushrut Trauma Centre under the Lok Nayak Hospital is good for basic life support and advanced trauma life support for trauma victims and functions round the clock. Apart from this another Trauma Block has been established in the Guru Teg Bahadur Hospital.

(c) and (d) Yes, Sir. A Centralised Accidents and Trauma Centre at All India Institute of Medical Science (AIIMS) is under consideration. The proposed Trauma Centre at AIMS shall be multi disciplinary which apart from providing holistic trauma care services would be used as a role model for other centres, in terms of conceptulization, project formulation, training and operation. The total project cost of the 140 bedded facility is expected to be Rs. 54.14 crores.

The Central Government Hospital *viz.* Safdarjung Hospital, Dr. RML Hospital and Lady Harding Medical College & Associated Hospitals are well equipped to deal with accident and emergency cases. A proposal for expansion and upgradation of existing casualty and emergency services for Dr. RML Hospital has also been approved. The expected cost of his project is Rs. 28.13 crores.

The Government of NCT of Delhi has informed that another trauma centre is in the process of being established at the Deen Dayal Hospital, which will also be furnished with latest equipment and infrastructure.

Setting up of mobile hospitals

†2237. PROF. R.B.S. VARMA: Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that Government are considering to set up mobile hospitals in the form of emergency clinics;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the amount allocated to implement the same?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI A. RAJA): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) Ministry of Health and Family Welfare is procuring a pre-fabricated, self contained, container based mobile hospital to provide emergency medical relief during natural calamities. Hospital Services Consultancy Corporation (India) Ltd., a Govt of India Enterprise, has been engaged as the Procurement Consultant for the mobile hospital.

(c) Rs. 3.00 crores and Rs. 6.00 crores allocated in the Annual Plan 2001-2002 and 2002-2003 respectively under the Health Sector Disaster Preparedness and Management Scheme for mobile hospital project.

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